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**REQUEST**

FOR

**CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,  
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application  
filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number	08/610,758
Filing Date	March 5, 1996
First Named Inventor	Yutaka NAKATSU
Group Art Unit	2612
Examiner Name	A. Moe
Attorney Docket Number	SON-856

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**NOTE:** 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000) which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**BEST AVAILABLE COPY****Miscellaneous**

2. a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

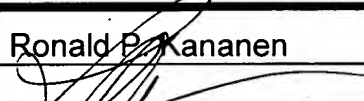
**Fees**

3. The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to  
Deposit Account No. 18-0013.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed
- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

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01 FC:1001 770.00 DA  
02 FC:1202 540.00 DA  
03 FC:1201 172.00 DA**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT IS REQUIRED**

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Signature		Date: December 12, 2003	

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Patent Application of

Mutaka NAKATSU et al

Confirmation No.: 5506

Application No.: 08/610,758

Art Unit: 2612

Filed: March 5, 1996

Examiner: Aung S. Moe

For: APPARATUS HAVING MEANS FOR PRINTING  
VIDEO SIGNALS OF VIDEO CAMERA  
ATTACHED THERETO

PRELIMINARY REMARKS AND IDS ACCOMPANYING RCE

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Sir:

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These preliminary remarks for another RCE are provided to accompany the submission of three Japanese language documents, one of which has English language equivalents. These documents were cited in the prosecution of the corresponding Japanese application. Translations of the two Japanese publications for which no English language equivalents are provided will be submitted as soon as translations can be arranged.

Reference should first be made to the allowing papers and the reasons for allowance of the pending claims. While it is believed that none of these documents is more relevant to the pending claims than documents already of record prompting those reasons for allowance, caution dictates that still another RCE and this submission be made.

Publication JP06-303559 and Publication JP343147 are said to

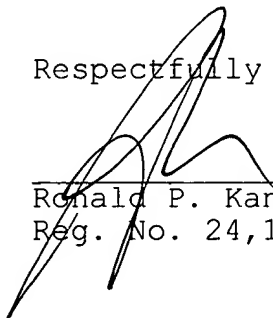
disclose a video printer having a video signal from a video camera, where the video printer outputs the video signal to a display device. The video printer controls the video camera to stop and regenerate the picture which is captured by the video camera. Neither of these publications discloses a "camera station for attaching a cameral to the printer housing portion". Neither discloses that the printer controls the video camera to select a picture for display. Each only separately controls a display device for display, and the video camera for selecting a picture.

As to Publication JP04-336889, English language equivalents are found in the cited English language publications. As seen, an index signal is marked to a desired picture for printing. A printer can automatically print the marked picture.

Consideration of these newly-cited references relative to the reasons for allowance and the pending, allowed claims is respectfully solicited, so that this application can again be promptly passed to issue.

Respectfully submitted,

DATE: November 12, 2003

  
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**FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
**for FY 2003**

Effective 01/01/2003, Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)** 1482.00**Complete if Known**

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Examiner Name	A. Moe
Art Unit	2612
Attorney Docket No.	SON-856

**RECEIVED****METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)**
☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None
☒ Deposit Account

Deposit Account Number

18-0013

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The Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☒ Credit any overpayments☐ Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	750	2001	375	Utility filing fee	
1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee	
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

**SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)** 0.00**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE**

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
62	-32* = 30	x 18	= 540.00
5	-3** = 2	x 86	= 172.00
Multiple Dependent			= 712.00

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)** 708.00

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2801	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	770.00
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

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**SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)** 770.00**SUBMITTED BY**

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